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## IT TAKES A TWELVE-PAGE PAPER TODAY TO CONVEY OUR EASTER GREETING

### HONORS THAT CAME TOO LATE

Hungary Pays Glowing Tribute to the Memory of Louis Kossuth.

### HIS DEATH IS A NATIONAL LOSS

The Parliament at Buda Pesth Expresses the National Gratitude for the Services Rendered by the Exiled Statesman—Students Create Excitement in the Streets of the City—Many Are Wounded in Various Encounters with Police.

BUDA PESTH, March 23.—AN ENORMOUS and excited crowd assembled this afternoon in front of the parliament house, which was strongly guarded by police. Led on by the students, the people filled the air with shouts and threats, insisting that parliament was not doing sufficient to honor the memory of the dead patriot. Finally the crowd made a rush towards the doors of the parliament house and a sharp engagement with the police followed. The mob was driven back, but the excited people seemed determined to force an entrance and it required a number of charges before the crowd could be forced back within a reasonable distance.

Inside the parliament house there was a large attendance of deputies, and the public galleries were crowded. When the president arose to address the house the deputies arose and stood in profound silence and with bowed heads while he announced the death of Louis Kossuth. He concluded his remarks by asking for the unanimous adoption of the proposal made by Dr. Alexander Wekerle, president of the house, of Ministers, who at the conference of the liberal members of the Hungarian Diet, last evening suggested that the house express the nation's gratitude for the services rendered by Kossuth, and a telegram expressing sympathy with the family of the general should be sent to the family of the general. The house then passed a resolution that the lower house be appointed to go to Turin to place a wreath upon Kossuth's bier, the house to adjourn until after the funeral.

Dr. Wekerle had declared that should any further demands be made such as the passing of an act placing Kossuth's services on record, or providing for the state defraying the funeral expenses, it would be impossible for the government to ignore the fact that Kossuth, to the end of his life opposed the existing constitution of Hungary.

### THE PATRIOT'S SERVICES EXTOLLED

After the president had made the propositions agreed upon with Dr. Wekerle, M. Just, leader of the Hungarian Independents, warmly protested against them as being inadequate. He extolled Kossuth's services to Hungary and moved that the expenses of his funeral be borne by the state, that his services be recorded in an act of parliament, and that the municipal authorities be instructed to close all the theaters until after the funeral. Finally he proposed a vote of thanks to the Italian government and the municipal authorities of Turin for the hospitality which they had extended to the exiled patriot.

Count Apponyi moved that Kossuth's death be declared a national loss, and that the lower house of the Diet pay the expenses of his funeral. Dr. Wekerle declared that the latter could only accept the proposals which the president of the house had made to the deputies. The house then rejected the proposals of M. Just and Count Apponyi, and adopted, by a large majority, those of the president.

During the setting of the chamber the crowd outside maintained a constant uproar, hundreds of students chanted patriotic songs and thousands of others howled, shouted and groaned. Shortly before the adoption of the president's motion in the chamber a large body of students marched to the national theatre and threatened to sack the building unless the mourning flag which had been lowered, was again hoisted and allowed to remain so until the period of mourning expired.

### NATIONAL FLAG DROPPED

At this juncture a member of the chamber of deputies appeared and announced that the ministry had ordered that the national flag, draped with black, should be hoisted on all public buildings, including the theatres. At this the mob cheered and dispersed without further disorder.

About 300 students gathered early this evening in front of the Kossuth street police station, which is not far from the national theatre. The leaders threw open the station doors and demanded the immediate release of the students who had been arrested. The police cleared the streets of the station, but were unable to drive back the crowd. The students booed them and bombarded the station with stones. Two companies of infantry were called out. They charged the students, who, after a little fighting, retreated slowly. Many students were wounded, two of them so severely that it was necessary to send them to a hospital.

### WILL GO UP FOR 99 YEARS.

With No Pennsylvania Pardons Board Handy, Howls In Secrecy.

FORT WAYNE, March 23.—The jury in the case of Martin Hargis, charged with killing his mother, returned a verdict this morning of murder in the first degree.

They also fixed the penalty at ninety-nine years in the penitentiary.

### MADMAN WITH A GUN.

Coolly Walks Into a San Francisco Bank and Shoots the Cashier.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Shortly after the branch of the San Francisco Savings Union was opened at 9 o'clock this morning an unknown man entered the place and without warning fired the shots from a revolver at Wil-

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### QUIET DAY IN THE HOUSE.

Resolution of Regret at the Death of Kossuth—The O'Neill-Joy Election Case.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Before proceeding to a renewal of the effort to secure the vote of a majority of the membership upon the question of considering the O'Neill-Joy contest election case, on motion of Mr. Cummings, (Dem., N. Y.), the house voted an expression of its regret at the death of Kossuth, the Hungarian patriot, and instructed the speaker to communicate to the family of the deceased the respectful sympathy of the house.

### A SOCIETY WOMAN'S SUICIDE.

Mrs. Moore Blew Her Head Off With a Load of Backshot.

PITTSBURGH, W. Va., March 23.—Mrs. Fannie Moore, wife of Colonel Jasper V. Moore, Clerk of the United States District for West Virginia, and mother of Clarence Moore, a former inspector in the internal revenue service at Louisville, Ky., committed suicide at her residence in Charleston by shooting herself through the head. She used a shotgun, both barrels of which were loaded with buckshot, her head being entirely torn off.

Mrs. Moore, who has been nervously prostrated for some time, had just returned from Philadelphia, where it is supposed she became satisfied of the truth of the sensational stories recently published regarding the life of her son, Clarence, who married the daughter of a Philadelphia millionaire, while pretending to be engaged in brokerage business, but really, it is alleged, running gambling rooms in Washington. The Philadelphia father-in-law found out the truth, and proceedings for a divorce were instituted, the young wife, returning to her home.

### MUSIC UNAPPRECIATED.

William Ingram Attacks Sorenson With an Axe.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., March 23.—William Ingram, a young farmer, living near Evergreen, Ala., was married last night. Toward midnight a party of friends surrounded his home and commenced a serenade, using for instruments tin cans, cow bells, etc.

### FLASHED OVER THE CABLE.

The Chilean ministry has resigned. The estimated deficit in India's budget for the coming year is \$9,646,000. The proposed annual memorial to Gladstone will be pushed by the English Liberals.

### SHANGHAI AUTHORITIES HAVE FINALLY ALLOWED THE TANK STEAMER, LOADED WITH PETROLEUM, TO LAND ITS CARGO.

India's revenue from opium the past year has been lower than for many years, reaching only \$3,990,000.

Russian newspapers are complaining that England is getting the lion's share from the Bering sea seal fisheries, affected by the Anglo-Russian convention.

Admiral Mello has been proclaimed head of the insurgent government at Desterro. He is reported to be determined to continue the struggle against Poixote.

Five members of a wealthy Jewish family, of Smorgon, Russian Poland, were murdered by peasants whose motive was robbery. Six of the supposed robbers are under arrest.

The governments of the United States, Great Britain and Italy have unitedly recommended to the government of Brazil that a humane course be adopted in regard to the insurgent refugees who have sought shelter on board the Portuguese warships.

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The location of the works was about a mile from Hulton, in a ravine. The first explosion occurred in the packing house at 7:15 this morning, shortly after work had begun. The only eye witnesses of it are Superintendent Mooney and Simon Bradley, one of the workmen. They were at the glycerine house almost twenty-two feet above the packing house, arranging to make nitro glycerine, which was their first duty in the morning. Bradley had his eyes in the direction of the packing house when he saw a flash of fire come out of the door. In a terrified shout to Mooney, he said: "What's that?"

Mooney shouted in return: "It's fire, run for your life."

### A RACE FOR LIFE.

The fled up the run as fast as their legs would carry them, but in a few seconds the awful explosion deafened them and hurled them to the ground. Mooney was struck in the right thigh by a splinter. Bradley was uninjured, but his hat was blown off and his spectacles torn from his face.

The packing house was located about 100 yards from the Allegheny Valley railroad tracks and was a two-story wooden structure, 30 by 25 feet. At the time of the explosion Mr. 30. Thirty feet. It was leveled to the ground and Nellie was crushed by the falling timbers. She was rescued and brought to this city, the intention being to take her to the West Penn hospital, but she expired just as they were taking her off the train. She did not regain consciousness after the explosion.

### TERRIBLE DESOLATION.

After the second explosion a terrible picture of damage and desolation met the eye. The boarding house was razed so completely that in no place did the ruins lie above the ground more than a few feet. A one hundred feet further on where the packing house had been there was a great hole in the ground probably ten feet deep.

The bodies of the unfortunate victims were blown to atoms. The largest parts found were portions of two trunks supposed to be of the women on account of proximity of pieces of soap with long hair on them. A foot was found. Small pieces of clothing were found here and there, but none was found on the flesh picked up. The portions of bodies found were blackened and burned somewhat. The most of the remains were scattered about within a radius of 100 yards, but pieces of bloody flesh and debris were found a mile and a half away.

Mr. B. B. McCabe, president of the Acme Powder company, says the cause of the explosion was fire. He thinks one of the dead had matches and that one in some manner became ignited. During cold weather the buildings were warmed with steam brought from the engine house 150 feet away. Within five years dynamite factories owned by the Acme company and located in the neighborhood have blown up five times and nine persons were killed.

### KOSSUTH NOT RECOGNIZED.

New York's Acting Mayor Finds No President for Honoring Patriotism.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The Hungarian flag will not fly upon the occasion of the funeral of Kossuth, nor will the American flag be half masted.

Acting Mayor McClellan says: "I can find no precedent for having our flag at half mast upon the occasion of the death of any one not a citizen of America, except in the case of Lafayette, and he having fought for our country, was practically an American."

### CASE OF HENRY HARDING

It is Evident That the Attorney Voluntarily Dropped Out of Sight.

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